

**STATE OF CALIFORNIA
EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES AUTHORITY**

**CURRENT TRIAL STUDIES
as of 12/01/03**

Local EMS Agency	Study Title	EMS Agency Medical Director and Primary Investigator	Date of Initiation of Trial Study	Commission Notified	18 Mo. Report Due	Commission Action	36 Mo. Report Due	Disposition of Study
Coastal Valley EMS (Napa County)	EMT-II Modular Trial Study (formerly EMT-I Advanced Skills)	Edwin Carlson, MD	12/15/00	1/26/00	06/30/02	Commission approved an 18-month extension of the study at their 8/28/02 meeting.	12/31/03	Active
North Cal EMS	EMT-II Modular Trial Study (Sierra County)	Chester Ward, MD	8/16/01	9/26/01	2/28/03	On 3/19/03, Commission reviewed the 18-month report and recommended approval of an 18-month extension of the study.	8/31/04	Active
Imperial County EMS	EMT-II Modular Trial Study (formerly EMT-I with Advanced Skills)	Bruce Haynes, MD	(1/96 for EMT-I)	(1/96 for EMT-I)	9/30/03 (7/31/97 for EMT-I)	9/24/97 voted to approve 18-month extension. Accepted 36-month report on 1/27/99 & recommended revising regulations to include use of the additional skills & medications by EMT-Is. Approved continuation of the study until the regulations are revised. Emergency regulations took effect 4/16/01. On 6/20/01 Commission voted to allow regulation revisions to expire; recommended transition to EMT-II Modular Trial Study instead.	3/31/05 (1/31/99 for EMT-I)	Active

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Santa Clara County EMS	EMT-II Modular Trial Study (formerly Enhanced EMT-I)	Martin Fenstersheib, MD	(4/97 for EMT-I)	(6/97 for EMT-I)	5/30/03 (10/31/98 for EMT-I)	Commission voted 9/23/98 to extend to 1/31/99. Final report accepted 1/27/99 & voted to approve continuation of study until the regulations are revised to include the additional procedures and medications. On 6/23/99 Commission was advised that EMSA approved the addition of the administration of glucagon, naloxone, and activated charcoal to the study. Emergency regulations took effect 4/16/01. On 6/20/01 Commission voted to allow regulations to expire; recommended transition to EMT-II Modular Trial Study. On 11/22/02, EMSA approved request by Santa Clara County EMS to modify trial study to include United Technologies Corporation. On 6/11/03, Commission expressed a strong concern over the lack of an EMS Medical Director who meets the qualifications required in H&SC Section 1797.20(a) to oversee & monitor the trial study. Commission concurred with recommendation to allow the County 30 days to hire a qualified medical director. EMS Authority terminated the trial study on 8/19/03 when no medical director was hired.	11/30/04	Terminated 8/19/03
Santa Barbara County EMS	EMT-II Modular Trial Study (Submitted as EMT-Advanced Expanded Scope of Practice)	Angelo Salvucci, M.D.	1/1/03	8/28/02	7/31/04			
Riverside County EMS	Melker Cricothyrotomy Catheter Kit	Humberto Ochoa, M.D.	2/27/03	3/19/03	8/31/04			Active

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San Diego County EMS/Los Angeles County EMS	Protocol Number RTBSE-11-(N): A Phase III, Randomized, Controlled, Open-Label, Multicenter, Parallel Group Study Using Provisions for Exception from Informed Consent Requirements Designed to Evaluate the Safety and Efficacy of Poly SFH-P Injection (Polymerized Human Hemoglobin (Pyridoxylated), PolyHeme) When Used to Treat Patients in Hemorrhagic Shock Following Traumatic Injuries Beginning in the Prehospital Setting	Gary Vilke, M.D./ Bill Koenig, M.D.	Tentative 12/31/03	12/9/03	6/30/05			

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Inland Counties	EMT-I Advanced Scope of Practice	Conrad Salinas, M.D.	August 1, 2003	December 9, 2003	February 28, 2005			Active